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For: OPTICAL COMPONENT AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF,  
MICROLENS SUBSTRATE AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF, DISPLAY  
DEVICE, AND IMAGING DEVICE

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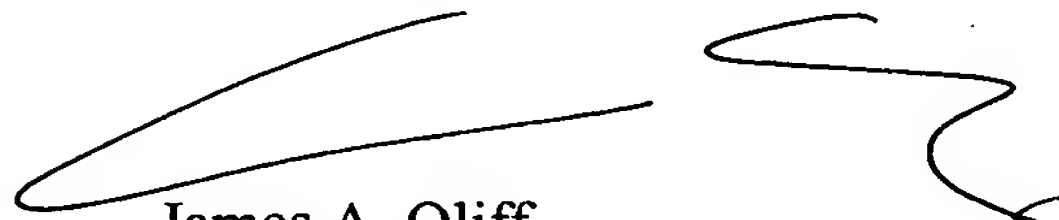
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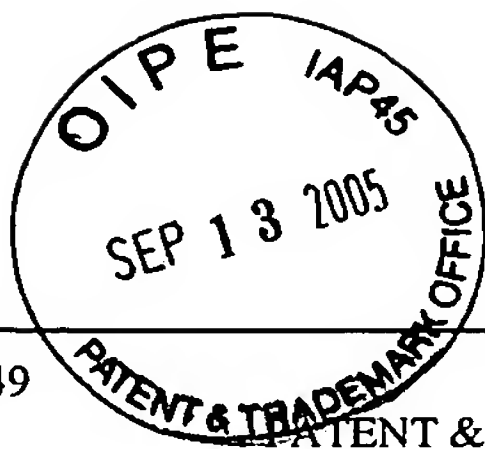
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